

1 **Rule 14-411. Board accreditation of non-approved sponsor courses.**

2 The Board in its discretion may accredit CLE courses or activities offered by non-
3 approved sponsors if they meet the following standards.

4 (a) The course must be of intellectual or practical content and, where appropriate,
5 should include an ethics or professional responsibility component.

6 (b) The course or activity must contribute directly to a lawyer's professional competence
7 or skills, or the lawyer's professional ethical obligations.

8 (c) Course or activity leaders or lecturers must have the necessary practical or
9 academic skills to conduct the course effectively.

10 (d) Prior to or during the course or activity, each attendee must be provided with written
11 or electronic course materials of a quality and quantity which indicate that adequate
12 time has been devoted to preparation and ~~further reflect that they will be~~ which are of
13 value to lawyers in their practice of the law. One-hour courses or activities meet this
14 requirement by providing an outline of the course or activity's content.

15 (e) The course or activity must be presented in an appropriate setting.

16 ~~(f) During courses or activities presented by means of video or audio, film, simultaneous~~
17 ~~broadcast or other such systems or devices, there should be an opportunity to ask~~
18 ~~questions of course faculty or other qualified commentators~~

19 ~~(g)~~(f) The course or activity must be made available to lawyers throughout the state
20 unless the sponsor demonstrates to the satisfaction of the Board that there is good
21 reason to limit availability.

22 ~~(h)~~(g) A sponsor or attendee must submit to all reasonable requests for information
23 related to the course or activity.

24 ~~(i)~~(h) A sponsor or attendee must submit a written request for accreditation on an
25 approved form within 60 days prior to or following the course or activity. Sponsors who
26 wish to advertise a course or activity as being accredited must submit a request for
27 approval at least 60 days prior to the event.

28 (i) The sponsor must submit the registration list in an approved format and CLE fees if
29 applicable within 30 days following the presentation of a course.